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Amendment

Amendment to Specification
Please add the following to the beginning of the specification:

This is a continuation of application 09/002,747 filed on January 5, 1998.

Amendment to Claims
Please amend the claims as shown below.

1. (Twice amended) A method comprising:
storing a table of orthogonal pseudo-noise codes;
partitioning the table of orthogonal pseudo-noise codes into at least two codebooks each [one codebook] having at least two [a plurality of] pseudo-noise codes;
assigning a first codebook to a first user;
spreading a first information signal for the first user with a first pseudo-noise code contained within the first codebook.

11. (Newly added) A method comprising:
storing a table of orthogonal pseudo-noise codes;
partitioning the table of orthogonal pseudo-noise codes into at least one codebook having a plurality of pseudo-noise codes;
assigning a first codebook to a first user, wherein the first pseudo-noise code of the first codebook corresponds to the value of the first information signal for the first user;
spreading a first information signal for the first user with a first pseudo-noise code contained within the first codebook.

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